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NEW YORK, N. Y.

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September 39, 1943

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1) MITTERBOECK, Fritz Graz or Kapfenberg in Styria. Address evailable in the administration of the "Grazer Tagblati" or at the Police Headquarters.

- 10,003
- Mechanic, employed at the "Grazer Tagblatt" (at least until 1938)

Born about 1902 さ)

4) In Styria

- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers family
- Probably married 9)
- He has a brother, Sepp Mitterboeck q.v. 11)
- 12) He grew up in Styria.

- 11) He has a brother, Sepp Mitterboeck q.v.
- 12) He grew up in Styria.
- 13) Elementary school and mechanics school.
- 14) Traveled extensively. Worked in Hamburg, Germany.
- 15) Worked as a mechanic in Steyr, Upper Austria, and in Koeflach, Styria, and from 1927 until about 1938 or longer at the "Grazer Tagblatt" in Graz.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and the Trade Union.

  Elected "Betriebsrat" in his plant (a kind of Labor Counselor).

  Member of workers athletic clubs.
- 19) Lives in very modest circumstances.
- 21) physiological: short and rather stout, dark blonde, sturdy,
  good health;

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MITTERBOECK, Fritz (continued)

intellectual: self-assured;

emotional: energetic, courageous;

operational: organization talent, many friends, very popular, widely known.

24) Speaks some French.

Fritz Mitterboeck is thoroughly trusted in workers circles and very able to collaborate in the reorganization of the Labor Unions.

Report covers time up to 1940.

Source:

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Memory:

Very good

Source: 10,003

Memory: Very good Judgment: Very good Objectivity: Very good

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September 30, 1943

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- 1) TAURER, Bernhard 2) Graz. Address available in the office of the Masons Union in Graz or at Police Headquarters.
  - Former Secretary of the Masons Union in Graz.

3) Born 1871

4) In Berg near Greifenburg in Carinthia

- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) From a peasant family.
- 9) Married
- 10) His wife, Anna Taurer, 62 years old, Austrian. Was very active in the Workers Consumers Cooperative, and the Social

- 10) His wife, Anna Taurer, 62 years old, Austrian. Was very active in the Workers Consumers Cooperative, and the Social Democratic organization for children "Kinderfreunde".
- 11) One son lives in New York, Bernhard Taurer, 78 years old, in Civil Service, (CWI), married.
- 12) Grew up in Carinthia.
- 15) Was a house painter. His artistic tendencies and talents promoted him. Became a church decorator. Later he was secretary of the Masons Union and revired in 1934.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and the Trade Union.

  Worked also in the Workers Health Insurance and the Unemployment Insurance.
- 19) Very modest circumstances.

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FU - 1101.2 TAUMER, BERNHARD (continued)

21) physiological: tall, sturdy, white hair; intellectual: very intelligent and well-read; emotional: warm-hearted and good-natured, unselfish and brave; operational: very sociable, has many friends and loves to meet people.

Bernhard Taurer and his wife are both well-known personalities in Graz. His extensive knowledge of local personalities and his gift for organization make him valuable in post-war reorganization of the Labor Unions.

Report covers time up to 1940.

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Source 10,003 Memory: Judgment: Objectivity:

Very good Very good Very good

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October 6, 1943

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- 1) HOFBAUER, Anton
  Vienna 12. Fuchsenfeldhof
  or address available in the
  office of the District Council
  of the 12th District
  Schoenbrunnerstrasse 259.
- Former member of the District Council of the 12th District in Vienna.

3) Born about 1880

4) In Vienna

- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers family.
- 9) Married
- 11) Has one brother, Karl Hofbauer, q.v.

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- 9) Married
- 11) Has one brother, Karl Hofbauer, q.v.
- 12) Spent his childhood in Vienna.
- 13) Elementary school
- 15) Driver-supervisor of the stables of the Workers Consumers
  Cooperative.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and Trade Union of Transportation Workers. In 1919 elected member of the XII. District Council in Vienna until 1934.
- 18) His hobby is horses.
- 19) Very lowly circumstances.
- 21) <u>physiological</u>: tall, sturdy, blonde heir probably graying; <u>intellectual</u>: a natural intelligence and great common sense;

emotional: honest, upright and reliable;

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operational: not very sociable, a little gruff.

24) No foreign language.

Good personal knowledge of the population of the XII
District. Being well-known among the transportation
workers of the biggest Austrian Consumers Cooperative,
he will be a useful helper for post-war reorganization.

Report covers time up to 1940.

Interviewer's own information.

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## Additional Report

Mr. Anton Hofbauer and Mr. Anton Merinsky q.v. will be in a position to give information in the persons listed below will be willing and ready to assist in social and political work.

Following are the names:

Danek, Michael, Employee of the government and former member of the City Council

Former members of the District Council in the 12th District:

## member of the City Council

Former members of the District Council in the 12th District:

Brächer, Josef, Grocer
Dittrich, Felix, Employee of the Workers Health Insurance
Drahozal, Franz, Carpenter
Gabriel, Helene, Seamstress
Gnan, Johann, Carpenter
Hanslik, Franz, Employee of the railroad (retired)
Hofstetter, Aton, Printer
Hopp, Johann, Printer
Plonsky, Reinrich, Employee of a newspaper
Prinz, Johann, Galvanizer
Rohrer, Leopold, Secretary of the Trade Union
Schöeppe, Leopold, Optician
Unterkircher, Luise, Housewife
Winkler, Ignaz, Manager of a werehouse
Wolf, Johann, Carpenter

Addresses are available in the Office of the District

Council Vienna XII, Schornbrunnerstrasse 259.

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October 6, 1943

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- 1) MERINSKY, Anton Vienca 12. Fuchsenfeldhof. or address available in the office of the 12th District of Vienna 12. Schoenbrunnerstrasse 259
- 2) Former member of the District Council of Vienna. Inspector of the Health Insurance.

3) Born about 1893

4) In Vienna

- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers family.
- 9) Married and has several children.
- 11) Has one brother, Josef Merinsky. A member of the Social

- 9) Married and has several children.
- 11) Has one brother, Josef Merinsky. A member of the Social Democratic Party also.
- 12) Spent his childhood in Vienna.
- 13) Elementary and probably school for printers.
- 15) First a printer then employee in Workers Health Insurance Company.
- 16) Since his youth member of the Social Democratic Party and Trade Union. Member of the organization "Kinderfruende" (Children's Welfare) and of the "Republikanischer Schutzbund" and of the Tourist Association "Naturfree Je".
- 18) Skiing and mountain climbing. An excellent ski instructor.
- 19) Very modest circumstances.
- physiological: medium height, dark beir andeyes, very prepossesing;

-2- MFRINSKY, Anton (continued)

intellectual: very intelligent and well-read;

emotional: gay, optimistic and very brave;

operational: sociable, unselfish and ready to make sacrifices for friends and ideals.

24) No foreign language probably.

Anton Merinsky is an expert is social administration and welfare and owing to his athletic activities has much influence among the younger workers.

Report covers time up to 1941.
Interviewer's own information.

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- 1) PALLA, Edmund, Ll.D. Vienna 4 District Blechturmgasse 24
- 7) Born about 1893
- 5) Austrian

- 2) Former General-Secretary of the Labor chamber. Former member of the Federal Court of Law
- 4) In Vienna
- 6) Catholic
- 7 and 8) His father was an employee of the Austrian government in Carinthia.
- 9) A widower for many years. Two chiluren about 16 to 18 years old.

- 9) A widower for many years. Two children about 16 to 18 years old.
- 12) He grew up in Carinthia.
- 13) Attended the gymnasium in Klagenfurth, the University in Vienne, Ll.D.
- 14) Traveled all over Europe.
- Royal Ministry of Commerce. In the Republic he was an employee in the Ministry for Social Welfare, (under Minister Lanusch). In 1920 he became secretary of the Labor Chamber in Vienna, later a member of the Federal Court.
- 16) Member of the Social Lemocratic Party and the Trade Union of Government Employees.

FU-1117. 2 PALLA, Edmund, L1.D. (continued)

- 17) Decorated in World War I.
- 19) Is well-off.
- 21) physiological: tall, a little stout, dark hair and eyes; intellectual: very intelligent and cultured. Has a thorough knowledge of Labor Laws and social administration; emotional: polished, amiable; operational: very sociable, likes to meet people, many friends.
- 24) Speaks English and French.

Report covers time up to 1941.

Interviewer's own information.

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- 1) JENSCHIK, Franz Vienna 1 District Reichsratsstrasse 13 (Address of his office)
- 3) Born about 1898
- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers family.
- 9) Married and has several children.
- 11) Has one brother, Anton Jenschik, q.v.
- 12) Spent his childhood in Vienna.

2) Former member of the District Council of the 9 District in Vienna. Owner of a traveling agency "Vindobona" address as in 1).

4) In Vienna

- 11) Has one brother, Anton Jenschik, q.v.
- 12) Spent his childhood in Vienna.
- 13) Thementary and commercial schools.
- 14) Traveled extensively in Europe. Acquainted with United States and North Africa.
- 15) Was first a clerk. In 1934 he opened his traveling agency.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and Frade Union.

  Became District Councillor in 1927 and retired in 1934.
- 18) Loves traveling.
- 19) Well-to-do.
- 21) <u>physiological</u>: medium height, stout, blonde, wears glasses; <u>intellectual</u>: intelligent, has learned a great deal by traveling, a clever negotiator and a thorough businessmann; <u>emotional</u>: self-assured;

operational: sociable.

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Franz Jenschik has a good knowledge of the Viennes IX District, great organizing talent.

Report covers time up to 1941.

Interviewer's own information.

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## Additional Report

Mr. Franz Jenschik and Mrs. Gabriele Proft q.v. will be in a position to give information if the persons on the attached list will be willing and ready to assist in social and political work.

Following are the names:

Anders, Marie, Former member of the City Council of Vienna Former members of the District Council of the 9th District of Vienna:

Former members of the District Council of the 3th District

### of Vienna:

Batter, Johann, Employee of the railroad
Eigler, Maric, Junitor
Dinstl, Ludwig, Chief of the Tourneyman's Union (Gehilfen-Union)
Endred, Wilhelm, Clerk
Call, Mathias, Employee of the city administration of Vienna
Koenig, Leopold, Conductor of the railroad
Krivsky, Bruno, Baker
Lassnig, Richard, Teacher of a high school
Peichl, Karl, Employee of a hospital
Proestl, Franz, Locksmith
Tlapak, Josef, Taylor

Addresses are available in the Office of the District

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Council Vienna 9 District Wathringerstrasse 43.

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- 1) MOSSHAMMER, Franz, Bischofshofen in Salzburg
- 2) Former mayor of Bischofshofen. Former member of the Austrian Parliament.

4 3) Born about 1886.

\* 4) In the country Salzburg

- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) Comes from a farmers family.
- 9) Married since 1931.
- 12) Spent his childhood in Salzburg (country).
- 13) Elementary school
- 15) Became a railroad employee

- 13) Elementary school
- 15) Became a railroad employee
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and the Trade Union of Railroad men since his youth. Elected mayor of Bischofshofen in 1919 1927 member of Austrian Parliament. Retired in 1934.
- 19) In good financial circumstances. Owns a house in Bischof-shofen.
- 21) physiological: tall, a little stout, somewhat bald, brown hair and eyes; intellectual: good common sense, dutiful, conscientious; emotional: a little gruff, but very kind-hearted; operational: sociable and widely respected.
- 24) No foreign language.

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-2- MOSSHAMMER, Franz (continued)

A very well-known and respected figure among workers and peasants in the southern part of Salzburg country. Expert in local administration and has much influence among the employees of the Westbahn, one of the most important rail-roads in Austria.

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Interviewer's own information.

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October 9, 1943

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- 1) ROHRER, Leopold
  Address available in the
  Office of the District
  Council of the 12th District
  in Vienna, Schoenbrunnerstrasse 259.
- Former member of the District Council of the 12th District in Vienna. Secretary of the Trade Union.

3) Born about 1898

4) In Vienna

- 5) Austrian
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers family.
- 9) Married
- 12) Spent his childhood in Vienna.

- 9) Married
- 12) Spent his childhood in Vienna.
- 13) Elementary school. Was drafted for World War I.
- 14) Traveled in Germany, Czechoslovakia, Italy, and Yugoslavia.
- 15) After the end of World War I ne remained in the army of the new Republic (Austrian"Volkswehr"). He later became secretary of the Trade Union.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and Trade Union.
  Elected member of the 12th District Council in 1927.
  Retired in 1934.
- 17) Decorated in World War I several times.
- 19) Very modest financial circumstances.

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- 21) physiological: medium height, a little stout, brown hair and eyes, a little deaf in one ear; intellectual: intelligent; emotional: very brave and optimistic; cperational: very sociable, many friends, well-known and popular.
- 24) No foreign languages.

Special attention is drawn to the fact that Leopold Rohrer has a large amount of first-hand information about the military and state troopers (gendarmerie - country police) in Austria.

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Interviewer's own information.

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1)	ATTEMS-HEILIGENKREUZ, Dr. Anton (Tonl) Count Villa / ttems, Marchetstrusse 2 Baden be! Wien	
a)	Attorney - Member of board of directors of Ungarische Maschinenfabrik Aktien Gesellschaft at Gyor and member of board of directors of Tatra-Werke Aktier Gesellschaft, Prague (Praha) Czecho-Slovakia.	
3)	1398 (?)	
1)	Schloss Pherusburg, Post Walkenstein N.Oe. Buden bei Wien	(Lower Austria) or
5)	born Austrian, now German (Nazi)	e.
3)	Roman Catholic	
7)	Max Graf Attems-Gilleis, deceased	

a. Austrian, Roman Catholic

- 6) Roman Catholic
- ") Hax Graf Attems-Gilleis, deceased
  - a. Austrian, Roman Catholi:
  - b. Lord of manor (Schloss Therasburg), wealthy
- 8) Franziska (Fanny), born Faltis, deceased
  - a. Austrian, Roman Catholic
  - b. Her father was owner of the flax spinning mill Johann Faltis Erben at Trautenau (later Trutnov, Czecho-Clovakia). Fanny Attems' part in her father's factory was bought by her brother and the money invested in high valuable where. Later inherited by her four children, Erich Attems, Karl Attems, Anton Attems and Marie-Therese Baronese Suttner, born Attems.
- 9) Marvied since 1924 or 1925
- 10) a. Violette Countes: Attems, born Czjzek
  - b. 1924 or 1925 Vienna
  - c. two children, or more
  - d. Austrian now German (pro-Nazi)
  - e. considered very wealthy through her father's inheritence
  - f. excellent education, no work experience, housewife
  - g. Roman Cathelic
- 11) Brothers: Erich Attems-Cillels (deceased ?)
  Engineer Karl (Carlo) Attems-Heiligenkreuz
  Cister: Murie-Therese Baroness Suttner, born Attems
- 12) Schloss Therasburg, Buden near Vienna and Vienna Fru 1. /

Attems-Heillgenkreum

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- Public School at home, High School in Baden near Vienna, Military Academy in Viener Neustadt, after World War I, graduated at the University of Innsbruck (doctor juris), graduated in Vienna (doctor rerum politicarum)
- 14) nustria, Czecho-Slovakia and Germany
- 15) After usual practice in a lawyer's office in Vienna, started his own office in Enden near Vienna. Hember of board of directors of two (the above named) companies representing his wife's interests.
- 16) Devoted Nazi, long before the Anachluss (1938) through his wire's and his mother-in-law's influence
- 18) hur. 1: \_, shocting
- 19) His mother's inheritence, his salary as member of the Board of

- 18) hunting, shooting
- 19) His mother's inheritence, his salary as member of the box of of Directors and his income through his practice as an attorney
- Elvely, considered a nice fellow, was handsome, not too much brain, enjoyed life, made friends readily, likes people, good natured
- 22) Almanach de Gotha
- 24) German and most probably French

Resume: Dr. Anton (Ton!) Count / thems-Heiligenkreus belongs to one of the best old Austrian families. Has therefore many acquaint-ancer, will be accepted where ever he comes. He was influenced very easily. Before his narriage, by education and through his family's influence he was Austrian, the prototype of an Austrian cavelry officer.

His mother-in-law, Mrs. Edity Czjzek-Stengel, a society painter (not first class) and a very energetic lady was always

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"Gross-Deutsch" (pro-Greater-Germany) and became a Nazi. His wife, Violette, is very energetic too and shares her mother's political sentiments. Both ladies influenced him and he became long before the Anschluss, a Nazi, believing the slogans, even if he didn't understand them. As a lawyer he represents members of the Nazi Party of Baden near Vienna. His children had a German governess. He won't change his political mind.

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October 16, 1943 # 1174 IX 9001 1) SUTTNER, Gustav (Gusti) Baron Lord of manor, Schloss Oberhoeflein, bei Retz, Waldviertel, 2) (Lower Austria) 1396 (?) 3) 4) probably Schloss Oberhoeflein 5) Austrian, now German passport 6) Practicing Catholic 7) Baron Suttner, deceased a. Austrian, Roman catholic b. Lord of manor, considered as wealthy

married since 1920, well matched family life

- 9) married since 1920, well matered family life
- 10) a. Marie Therese, Countess Attems
  - b. Summer 1920, Schloss Therasburg, Post Walkenstein N.Oe., the manor of the Attems family
  - c. Three boys. One deceased in 1954 (7)
  - d. Austrian aristocracy
  - e. Through her mother, mossy of her own, considered wealthy
  - f. Convent School, brought up as aristocrat, living in the country, housewife, looking out not only for her own family, but for the families of their farmers and tenants.
  - g. Practising Catholic
- 11) His wife's family. Marie-Therese Suttner has three brothers.

  One deceased, one a devoted Nazi (Dr. Anton (Toni) Attems) the other with little political color but with pro-Nazi tendency (Engineer Kerl Attems).
- 12) probably Schlos: Oberhoeflein and Vienna
- 13) Public School at home, High School and Farming Academy in Vienna.
- 14) Very little, except inside Austria
- 15) When young educated to inherit his father's estate, trained him-

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self and was trained to succeed in the duties of the lord of manor.

- 16) His father and Gusti Suttner belonged to the "Christlichen Bauernpartei", (Christian-Catholic-Farmer Perty).
- 19) A large estate, excellent and expensive cultivation, forest, pasture, banker's account (shares); wealthy
- (20) Good friends with his neighbors, no particula, close friend, only leading a family life.
- 21) Most of his neighbors like him; some envy him being successful as a farmer. Not too energetic, but sticks to his principles and plans, finally succeeding. Weak bealth.
- 22) Almanach de Gothu
- 24) German and probably French

Resume: Gustav (Gusti) baron Suttner could have been a leading member

er) "Transhien" de donne

24) German and probably French

Resumer Gustav (Gusti) Baron Suttner could have been a leading member in the Christian (catholic) farmer's party, especially in the party's Lower-Austria branch. This party was catholic, pro-Austria, pro-Government and had no pro-German (or pro-Nazi) tendencies. He is considered an expert farmer (cultivation, forest, cattle-breeding) has very close contact with the Roman Catholic Church in Lower austria, the abbets from derms and from Retains well, as the pricate of the whole sinces haldvierted being his friends and often his guests. He was chosen to represent the party several times in Vienna and in different towns of Lower-Austrie.

His mother was of Jewish origin. This fact, his engagement in the absolutely pro-Austrian party and being the son of a well-known Austrian family (his sunt Baronin Bertha Suttner, the oscillat)

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caused him some difficulties with the Nasis and stoped his political coreer.

Reports about numeral thous in catholic church circles as well as the farmer and farming situation of Lower and Upper matrix can be obtained through Baron Suttner. He will give a possibilistic report, but realistic and reliable.

He is cortainly not pro-Newl, or even pro-German. In the first place he is pro-Austria, in the second, pro-Allies.

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- 1) URBAN, Bruno
  Apt. IV
  Karolinengasse 7
  Vienna, Austria
- 2) Member of Board of Directors (Verwaltungsrat) at Brevillier & Co., A. Urban & Soehne, Schrauben, Eisen, Stahl, Fabrik, offices at Wien VI, Wienzeile 18.
- 3) 1896
- 4) Wien (Vienna) Austria
- 5) former Austrian, since 1938 German
- 6) roman catholic, probably now protestant (divorce reason)

- 5) former Austrian, since 1958 German
- 6) FORE natholic, probably now protestant (divorce reason)
- 7) Anton(?) Urban, deceared
  a. Austrian, Roman catholic
  b. majority shareholder of Brevillier & Co., A. Urban & Soehne
- 9) First spouse: Alise, born Scherber, divorced in 1955
- 10) a. Mrs. Mayer-Gunthof
  - o. after 1956, probably in Vienna
  - c. three (?) children of Dr. Franz Josef Mayer-Gunthof
  - d. Austrian and since 1958 German
  - e. no, or very little, money of her own
  - f. Convent School "Sacre-Coeur" in Vienna, probably none
  - g. now probably protestant
- 11) Step-brother: Victor (Vicky) Urban, President of Union of Austrian Industrialists, Vien I Schwarzenbergplatz 6.
  - Brother: Robert (Boby) Urban in 1955 salesman of Steyr motorcars in Graz, always considered as family's "black sheep"
  - Cousin: Engineer Anton (Yony) Urban member of Board of Directors same company

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- 12) Wien (Vlenna) and the family's country place in Styria, Austria
- 13) Public School and High School in Vienna; Military Acedemy in Stockerau (Lower Austria)
  - 14) Austria, Hungary, Yougoslavia and Balkans, Switzerland, France England and Italy
  - 15) Intended Cavalry officers career in Austria; after 1918 (World War I) apprentice at Brevillier & Co., A. Urban & Soehne; now Acting Executive Manager of this company
- 16) None until 1938; except leading part in social securities amelioration in own company. Absolutely anti-German till 1938.
- 18) Horses, tennis, motorcar
- 19) Salary as manager and income as shareholder of his own company, probably salary as member of Board of Directors (Verwaltungerut) to other affiliated companies too. Considered as very rich.

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- probably relary as member of Board of Directors (Verwaltungsrat) to other affiliated companies too. Considered as very rich.
- 20) Through Industrialist's club; through his cavalry regiment; many personal acquaintances.
- 21) In spite of disliking his socially inferior connections and acquaintances, extremely intelligent. His rare intelligence put him quickly in first place, without dominating or bullying others.

  Makes friends not readily, but holds them. Most people like him;

  Energetic. Operation in 1954 Ulcers.
- 23) His picture most probably on nearly every picture of Horse races at the Vienna "Prater-Freudenau" under outstanding guests
- 24) German, English, French; perfect
- Resume: Bruno Urban was delegated several times to represent Austrian Industry at International Cartel meetings, (Paris and/or Zuerich).

  How much his sentiments are affected through Germany's transfer

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of industries into Austria, depends on increased or lowered position of his own company, which was always (until 1938) considered as monopol-industry for the old Austria-Hungary territory. A lowered position Bruno Urban will consider as an offence but an increased position of his industry, he will accept as due to his factories.

Bruno Urban has to be considered, if one needs men of influence in the Iron and Steel Industry of Austria.

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October 13, 1943.

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- 1) WINDISCHGRAETZ, Princess Elisabeth, nee Hapbsburg Vienna XIII Huetteldorf, former Miller-Aichholz Villa, Huetteldorfer Strasse
- ٤) Private

3) Born in 1883

4) In Vienna

5) Austrian

- 6) Catholic
- 7) Father: Crown Prince Rudolf von Oesterreich, son of Emperor Franz Joseph I
- 8) Mother: Stephanie, nee Coburge princess of Belgium, now married to the Hungarian Count Loniay Catholic.
- 9) About 1900, married Prince Windischgraetz, former cavalry

Catholic.

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